Toona ciliata (Red Cedar)

Beautiful, semi-deciduous, shade tree with a buttressed trunk to 2 m diameter. Brown/grey bark with dense foliage. Perfumed, white, 5-petalled flowers to 5mm in large panicles in spring, followed by thinly woody, ovoid, brown fruits to 20mm long, splitting into 5 valves. Fast growing but tip moth caterpillars almost always cause damage, are very difficult to control and cause the tree to develop crooked stems but larger trees damage-hardy.

Type: Tree 8 to 40m  
Aspect: Full sun  
Soil: Well-drained  
Habitat: Rainforest

Special features:  
- Clay Tolerant  
- Drought Tolerant  
- Frost Tolerant  
- Fragrant Flowers  
- Iconic Historic Timber Tree  
- Shade Tree  
- Timber Tree